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# Hidden Pictures

more than 450 hidden objects to seek



Can you find  
these things  
in the big  
picture?



mushroom



sailing boat



slice of bread

3



# Hidden Pictures 3

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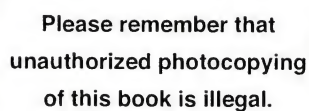
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# Preface

**Hidden Pictures**, a series of four books, is produced in the belief that not all learning is text-based. Learning occurs with every human activity. It is especially effective when the activity is purposeful and focused while at the same time exciting and pleasurable.

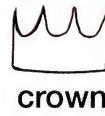
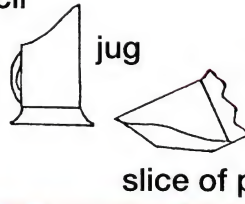
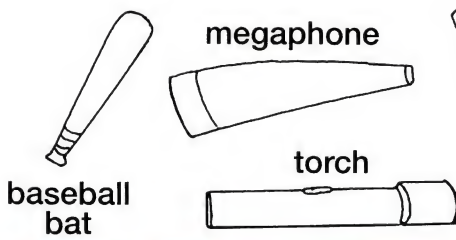
Solving hidden pictures puzzles is just this kind of activity. Besides being enjoyable, it develops figure-ground perception and improves the ability to establish object constancy and size relationships. Educators have shown that working on such puzzles can also enhance a child's attention to detail, reinforce good work habits, increase both word and general knowledge and aid in developing self-confidence.

With guidance, this potential can be realized. At the start of the activity, the child could be told to look at the big picture and describe the scene as a whole—that is, say what the picture shows or is about. Then he/she could be encouraged to talk about the details. Finally, the child's attention could be drawn to the things illustrated in the margins and he/she asked to identify them in the big picture.

With time and practice, the child could become quite expert at solving the puzzles and would have kept him/herself entertained while he/she was at it!

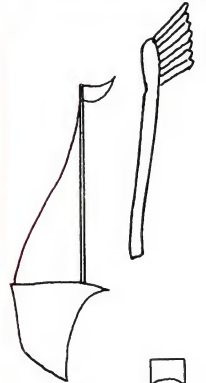
# Making music at home

Can you find these things in the big picture?



candle

toothbrush



sailing boat

crayon



telescope



needle



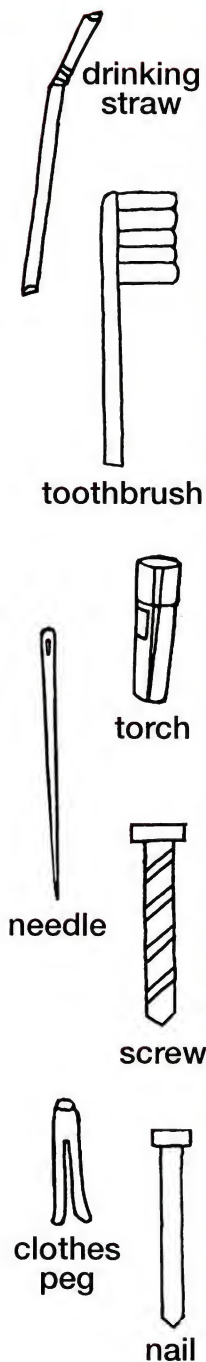
golf club



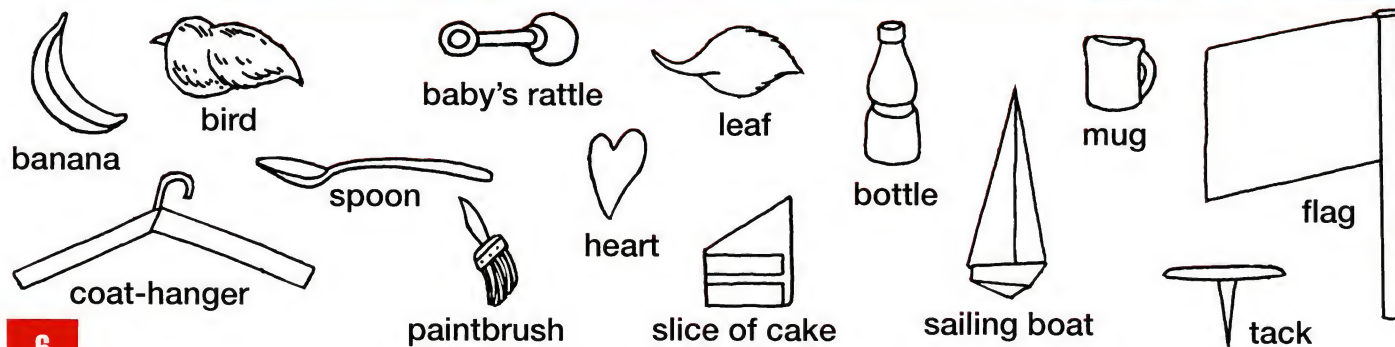


# Playing our recorders

Look for these things in the big picture.



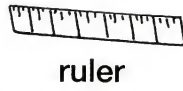
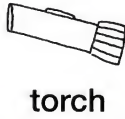
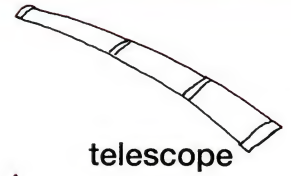
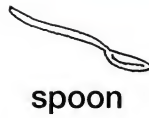
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# Performing as a band

Look for these things in the big picture.



cowboy boot



lollipop



oven mitt



candle



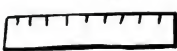
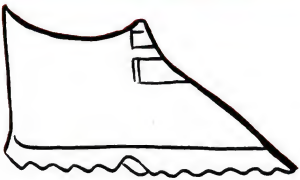
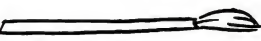
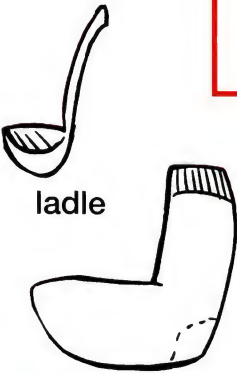
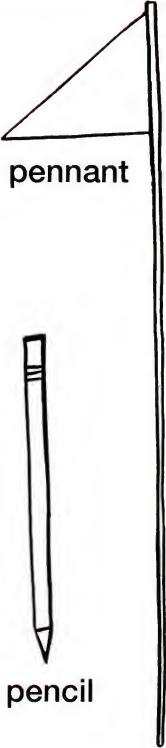
cowboy hat





# Getting a snack

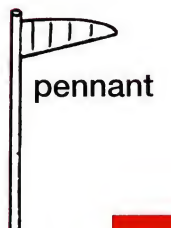
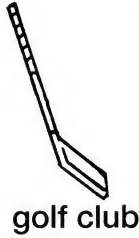
Can you find these things in the big picture?



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# Enjoying an indoor game

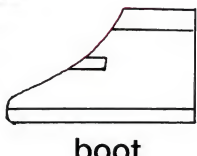
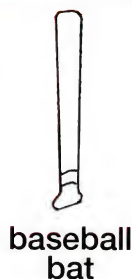
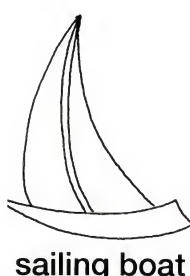
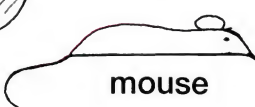
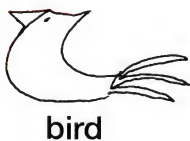
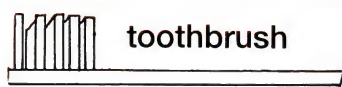
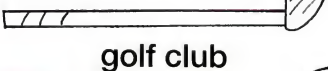
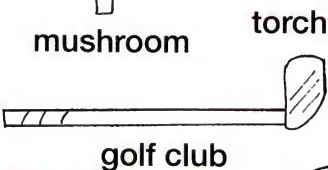
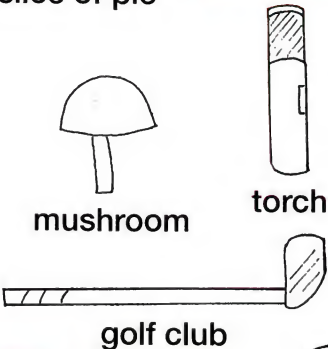
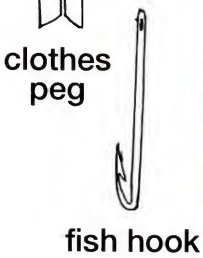
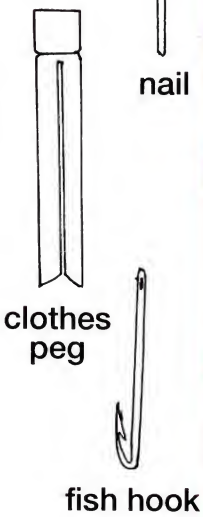
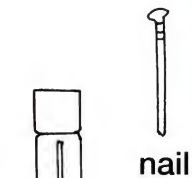
Can you find these things in the big picture?





# Building a domino track

Look for these things in the big picture.



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# Watching birds in our yard

Look for these things in the big picture.



caterpillar



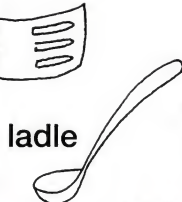
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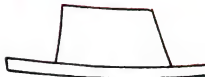
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open book



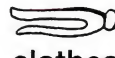
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toothbrush



clothes  
peg



musical note



boot



paper clip



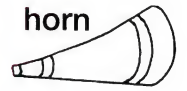
comb



slice of bread



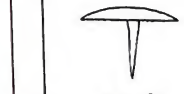
slice of pie



horn



bell



tack

candle



lollipop

sailing  
boat





# Making our own aeroplane

Can you find these things in the big picture?



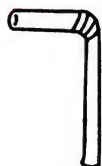
spatula



golf club



needle



drinking straw



screw



duck



comb



slice of pie



slice of cake



ice-cream cone



tack



ring



Illustrated by R. Michael Palan

# Flying our toy aeroplanes

Can you find these things in the big picture?



ring



radish



pushpin



slice of cake



needle



dish



cupcake



mushroom



candle



slice of pie



safety pin



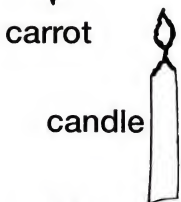
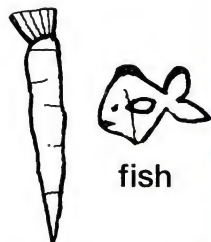
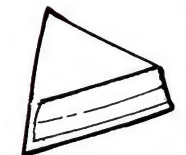
toothbrush





# Listening to Dad reading

Look for these things in the big picture.



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# Celebrating Mother's Day

Look for these things in the big picture.



spoon



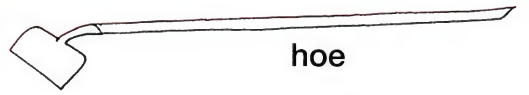
coat-hanger



knitted hat



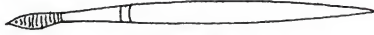
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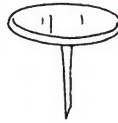
hoe



spatula



artist's brush



tack



slice of pie



tweezers



rabbit's head



needle



candle



pennant



axe



# Having tea with Grandma

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- baseball bat
- nail
- needle
- golf club
- candle
- fish hook

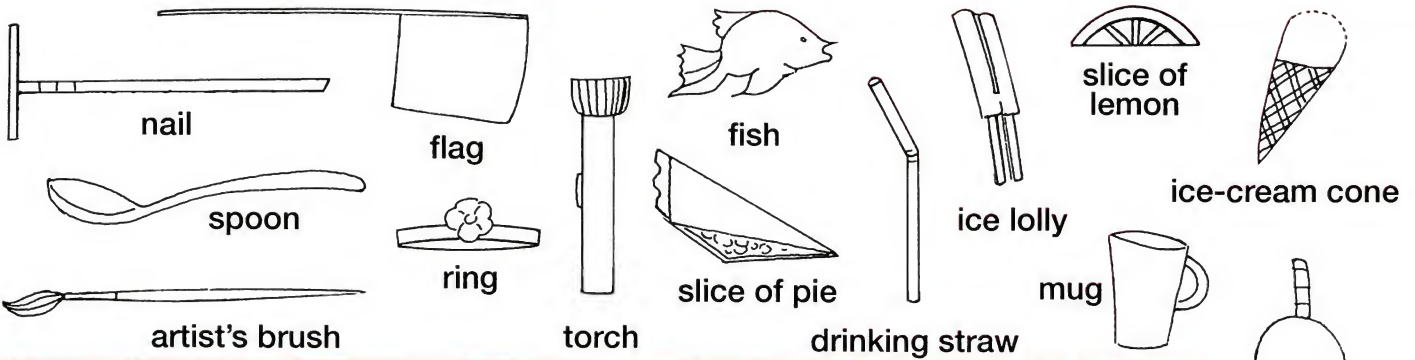


- tack
- funnel
- telescope
- toothbrush
- broom
- spoon
- slice of bread
- musical note
- sailing boat
- bell
- iron
- mallet



# Quilting with Grandma

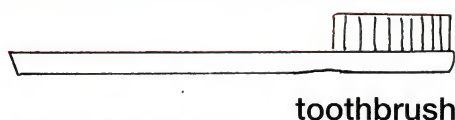
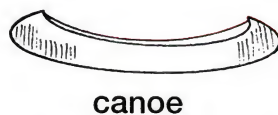
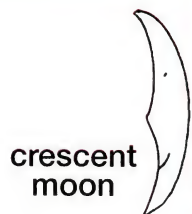
Can you find these things in the big picture?





# Baking with Grandma

Look for these things in the big picture.

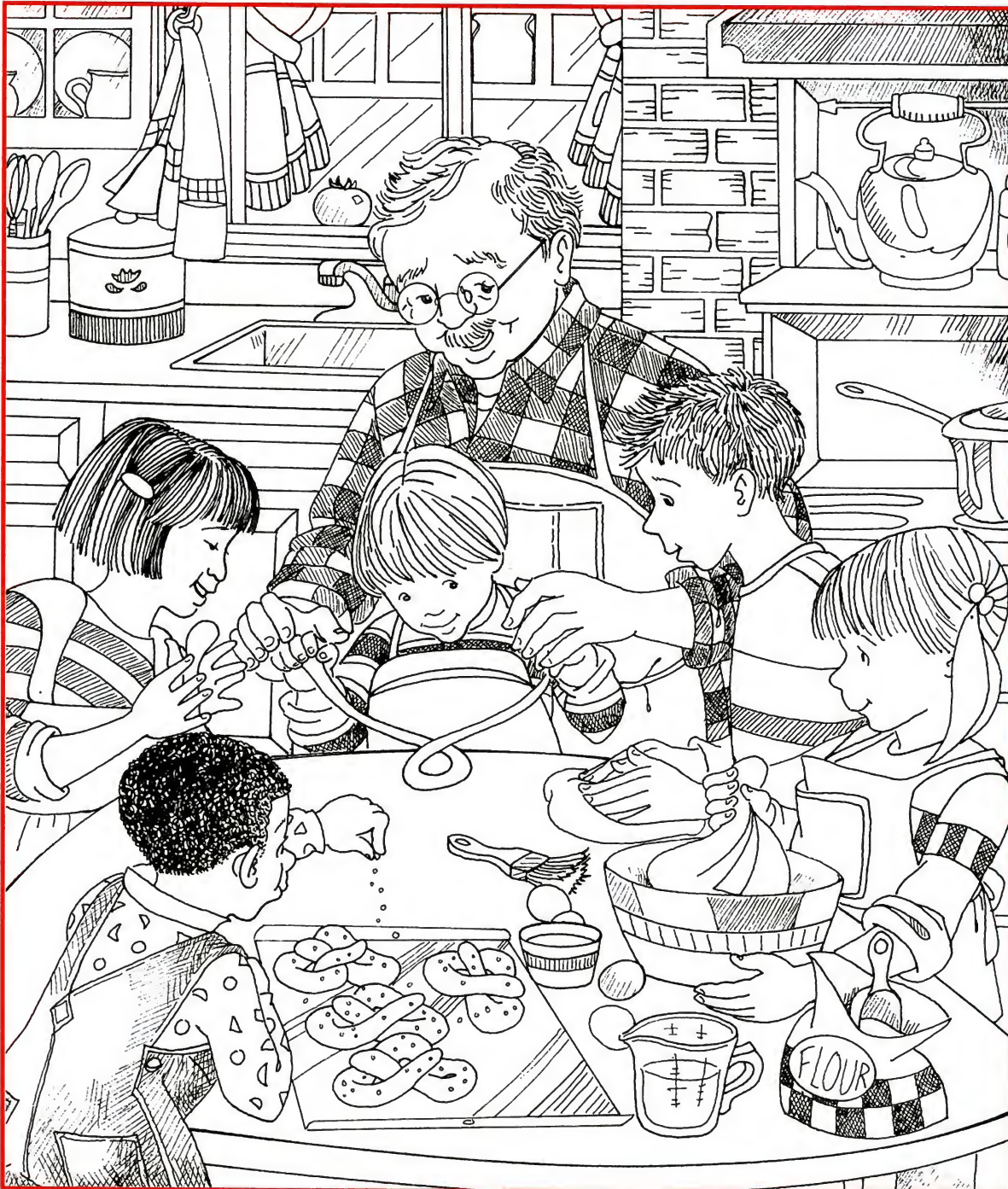
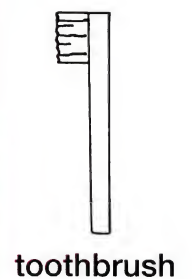
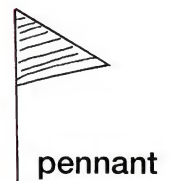
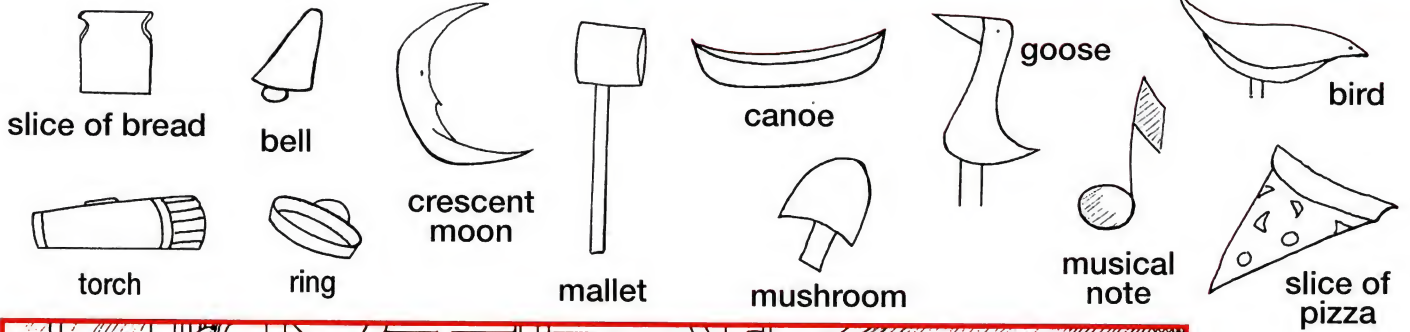


Illustrated by Linda Weller



# Learning to make pretzels

Look for these things in the big picture.





# Picking apples from the tree

Can you find these things in the big picture?



funnel



mushroom



mug



candle



lollipop



sailing boat



ladder



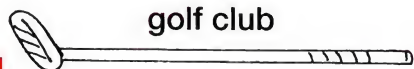
torch



hat



saucepan



golf club



hammer



slice of pizza



canoe



Illustrated by Linda Weiler



# Harvesting fruits together

Can you find these things in the big picture?



fish



teacup



saucepan



wishbone



mushroom



hammer



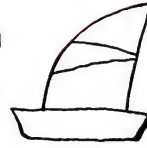
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slice of pie



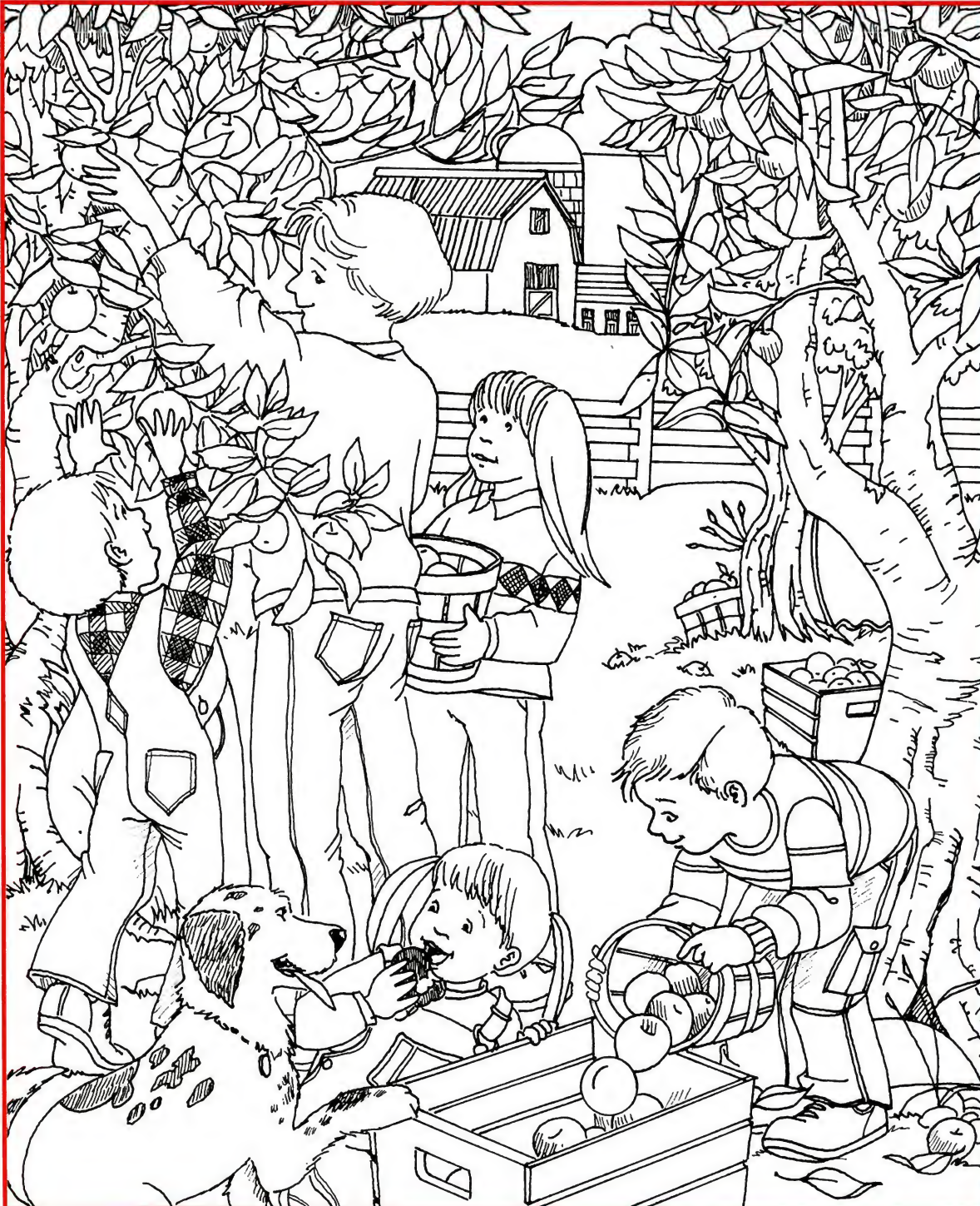
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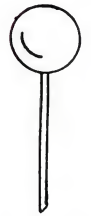
sailing boat



toothbrush



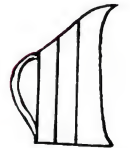
crescent  
moon



lollipop



bell



jug



candle



# Helping to fold the laundry

Look for these things in the big picture.



toothbrush



slice of pizza



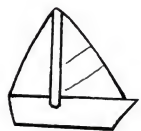
caterpillar



musical note



jug



sailing boat



fish



artist's brush



comb



mushroom



bird



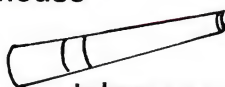
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ice-cream cone



mouse



telescope



bell



pencil



candle

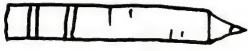


tack



# Having fun washing the car

Look for these things in the big picture.



pencil



slice of pie



torch



nail



snake



tack



hamburger



slice of bread



American football



ice-cream cone



banana



slice of pizza



hotdog



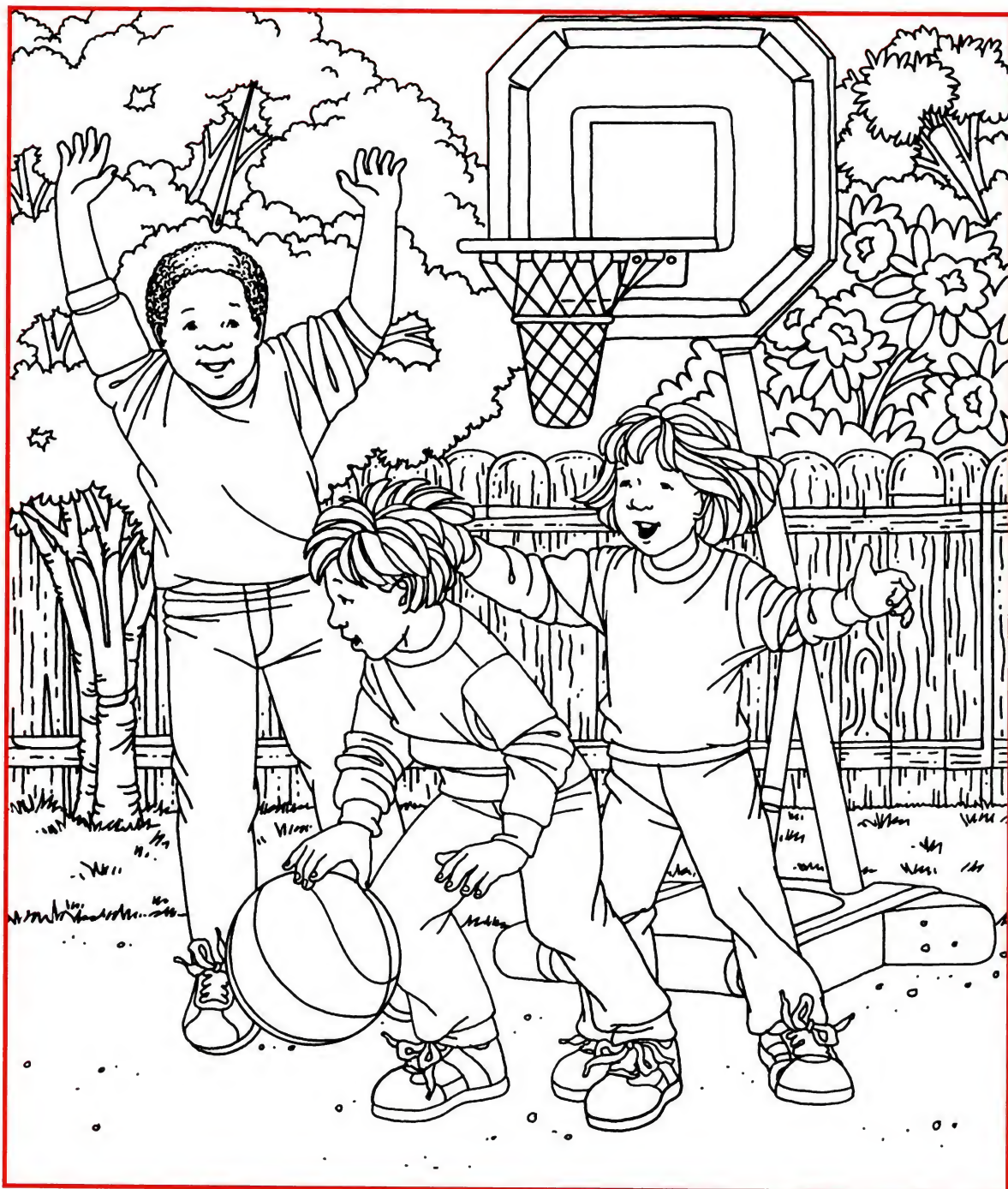
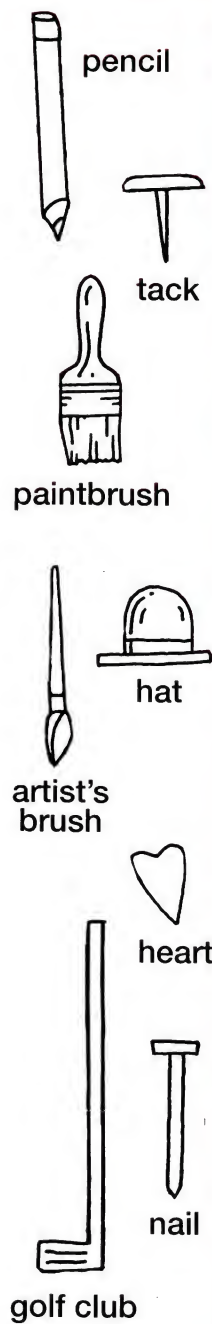
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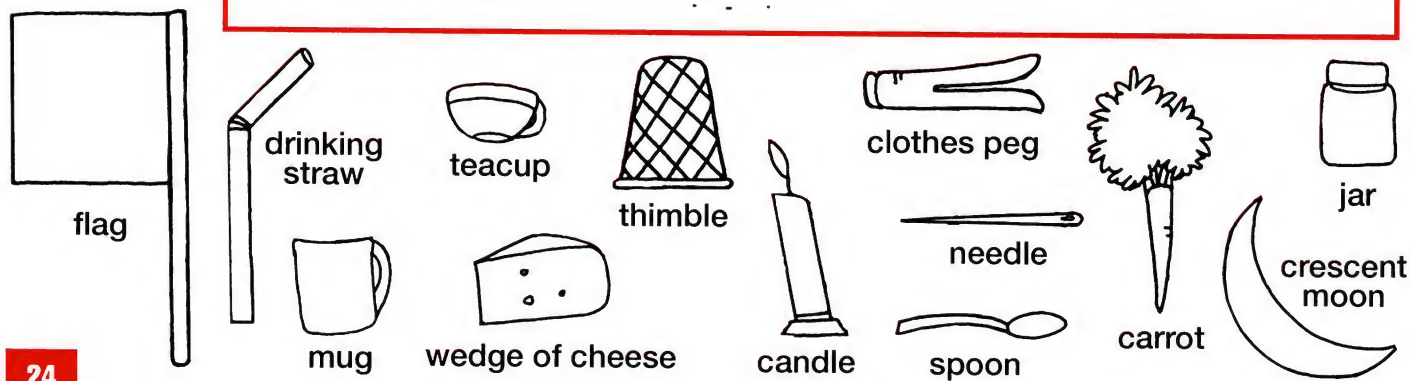


# Playing basketball at home

Can you find these things in the big picture?



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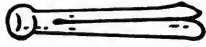


# Acting grown-up at teatime

Can you find these things in the big picture?



crayon



clothes peg



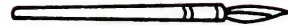
pliers



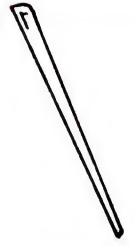
drinking straw



slice of pie



artist's brush



needle



mushroom



bird



tack



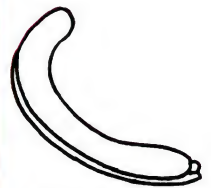
wishbone



toothbrush



ice-cream lollipop



banana



# Finding hidden treasure

Look for these things in the big picture.



wishbone



lollipop



candle



pencil



nail



golf club



tack



torch



paintbrush



heart



leaf



artist's brush



mouse



teacup



fish hook



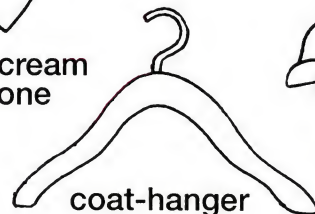
ice-cream cone



needle



bell



coat-hanger

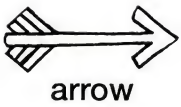


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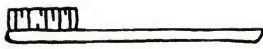


# Camping out in the garden

Look for these things in the big picture.



arrow



toothbrush



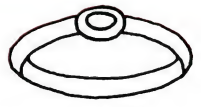
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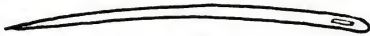
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nail



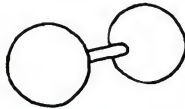
ring



needle



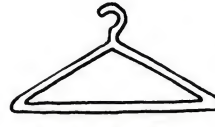
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barbell



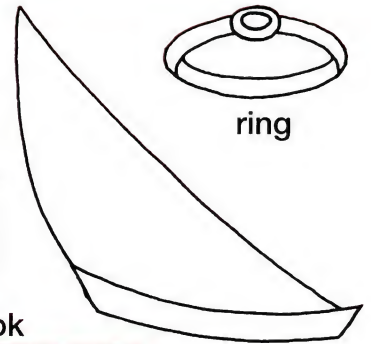
envelope



coat-hanger



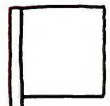
open book



sailing boat



funnel



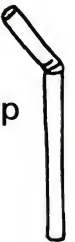
flag



fish hook



lollipop



drinking straw



comb

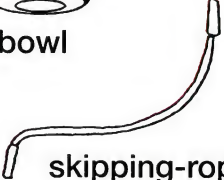
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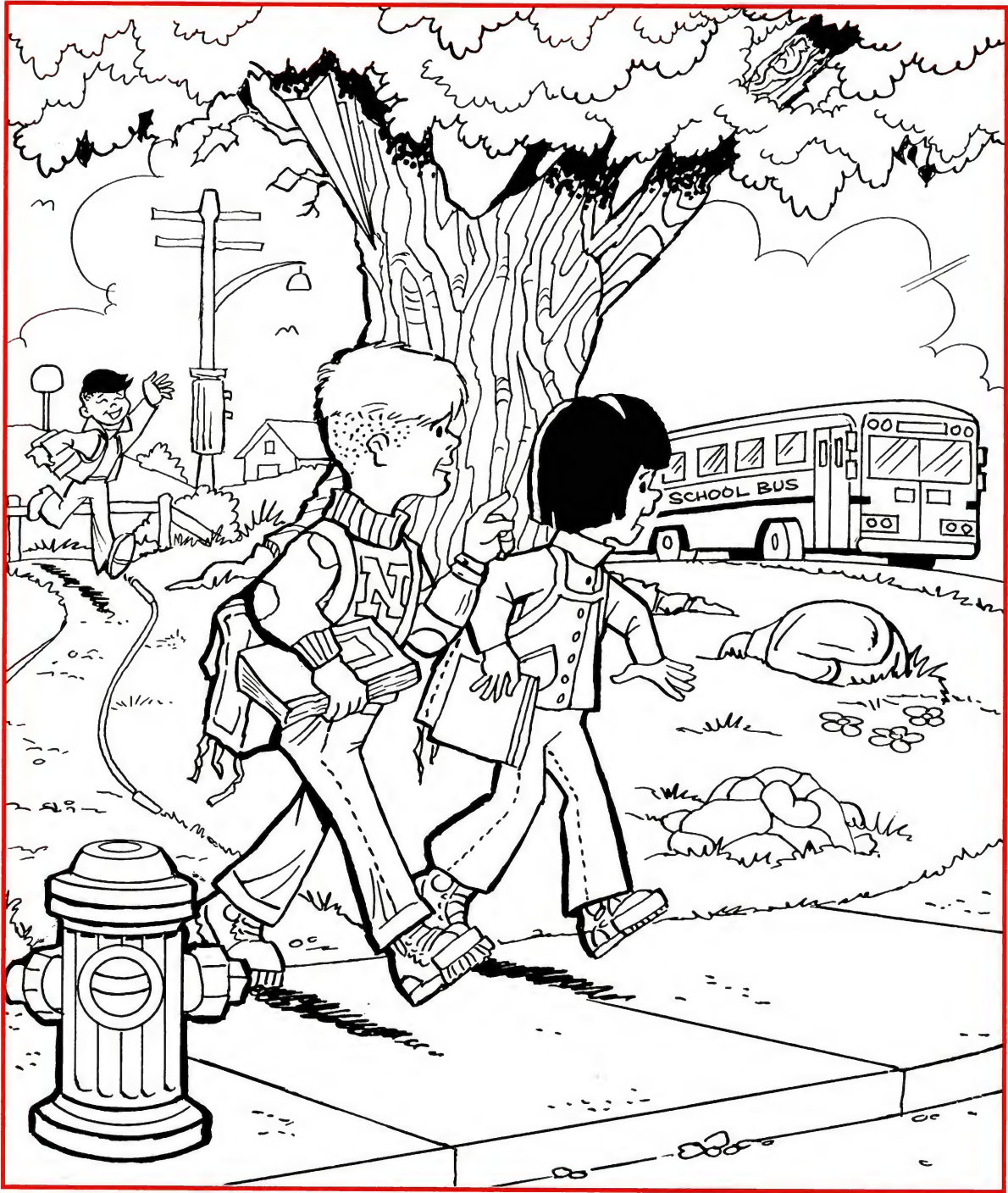




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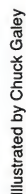
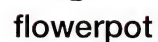
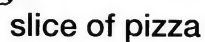
Can you find these things in the big picture?

-   
ball
-   
scrub brush
-   
jar
-   
mitten
-   
screwdriver
-   
mushroom
-   
sock
-   
paper aeroplane
-   
mouse
-   
lollipop
-   
bowl
-   
skipping-rope



Illustrated by George Wildman

## Can you find these things in the big picture?





## Riding on the school bus

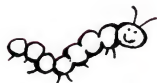
**Look for these things in the big picture.**



sticking-plaster



banana



caterpillar



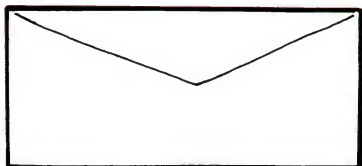
torch



sock



bell



envelope



lollipop



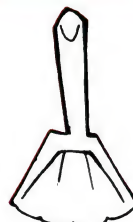
moth



scissors



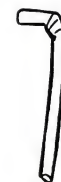
spoon



dustpan







drinking  
straw



mushroom



knitted hat



lock



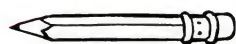
heart



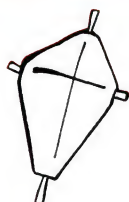
artist's  
brush



needle



pencil



kite



nail



fish hook



ice-cream cone



slice of watermelon

Illustrated by Eileen Appleby



# Celebrating Teachers' Day

Can you find these things in the big picture?



bowling pin



nail



earthworm



banana



crescent moon



snake



Illustrated by Ellen Appleby



hatchet

boomerang



bagel



fish hook



scissors



clam



canoe

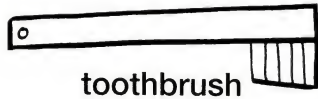


needle

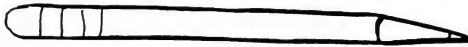


# Listening to a visiting author

Can you find these things in the big picture?



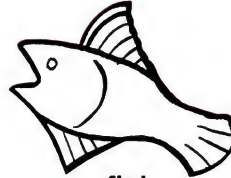
toothbrush



pencil



pear



fish



paper clip



banana



slice of pie



hammer



ice-cream cone



star



bowling pin



bell





# Dancing in a concert

Look for these things in the big picture.



heart



screwdriver



ice-cream cone



hammer



fish hook



tube of paint



toothbrush



snake



slice of pizza



spoon



wishbone



fork



artist's brush

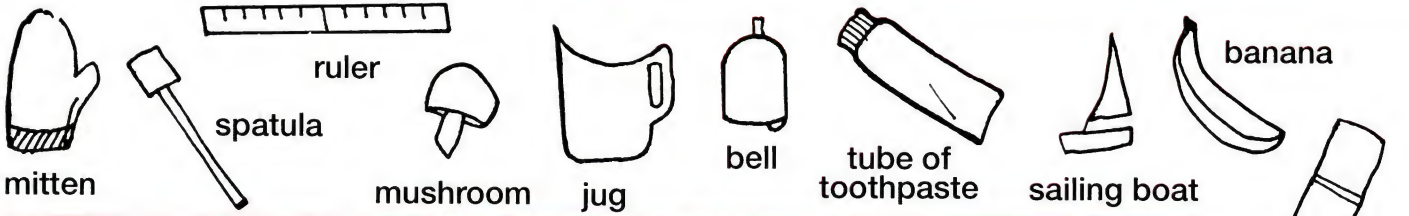


Illustrated by R. Michael Palan



# Learning about fire safety

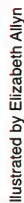
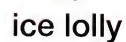
Look for these things in the big picture.





## Can you find these things in the big picture?

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# Coming out tops in a contest

Can you find these things in the big picture?



handbell



needle



paper clip



spoon



toothbrush



comb



flower



sailing boat



banana



heart



mushroom



shoe



bird





# Visiting the town aquarium

Look for these things in the big picture.



bell



banana



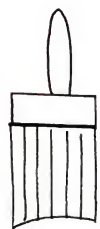
hammer



slice of pie



teacup



paintbrush



ice-cream cone



paper clip



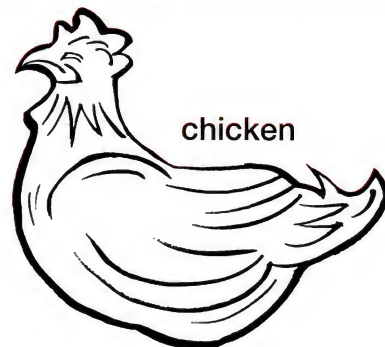
coat-hanger



lizard



deer



chicken





butterfly



candle



carrot



duck

Illustrated by Timothy Davis



trousers



sailing boat



mushroom



crescent moon



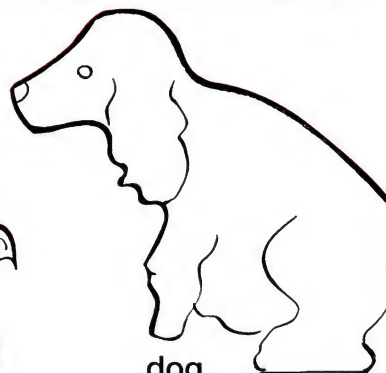
bat



snake



toothbrush



dog



pencil



# Studying a dinosaur exhibit

Can you find these things in the big picture?



shoe



bottle



mitten



light bulb



banana



heart



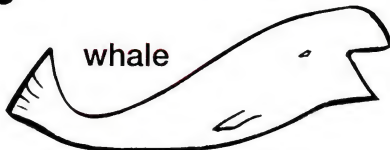
glove



saw



snake



whale



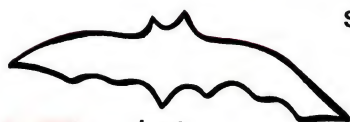
sailing boat



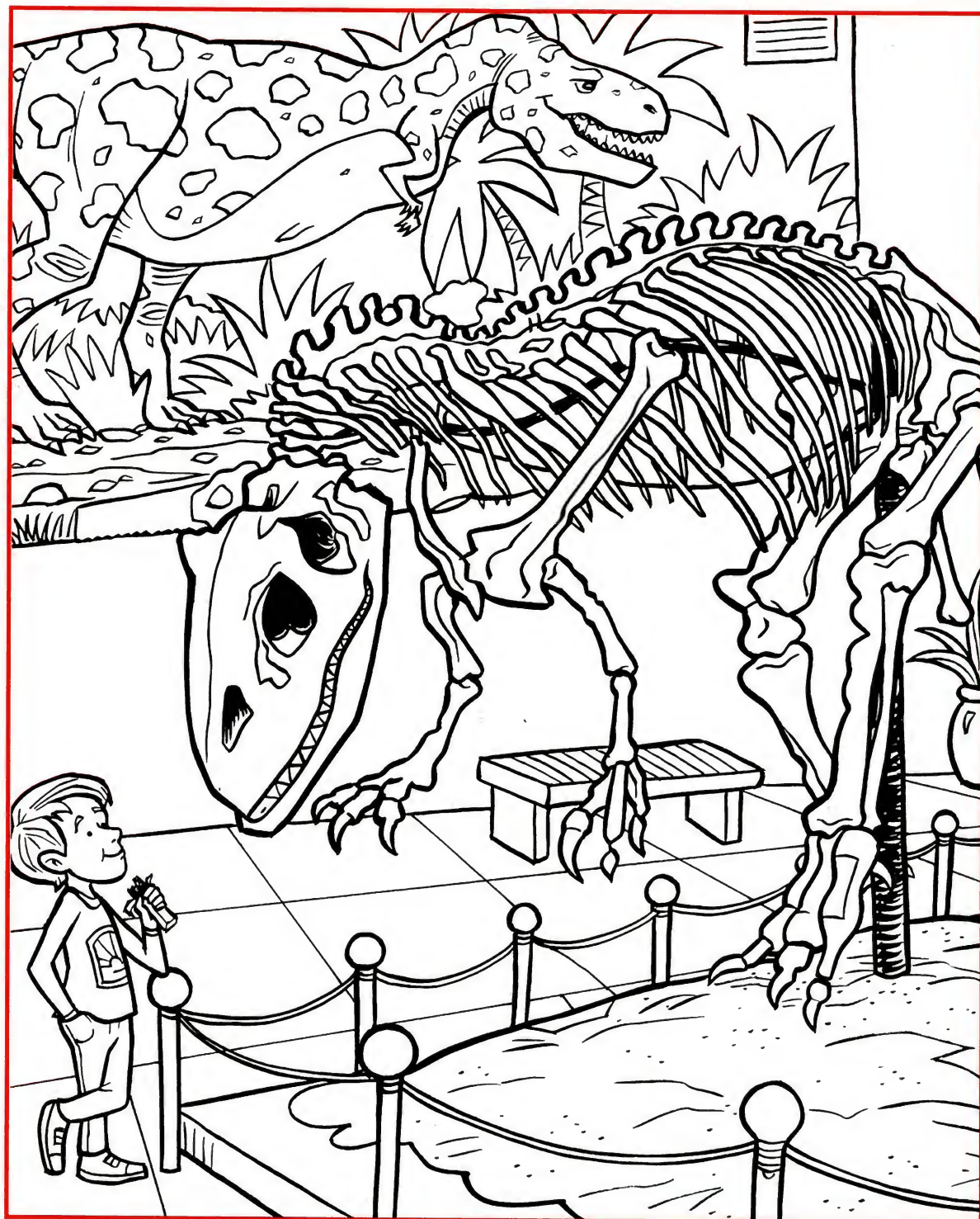
ice-cream cone



candle



bat



Illustrated by Timothy Davis



# Following the nature trail

Can you find these things in the big picture?



fish



snake



sailing boat



mug



tack

slice of pizza



bowl



broccoli



crescent moon



ice-cream cone



slice of cake



button



umbrella



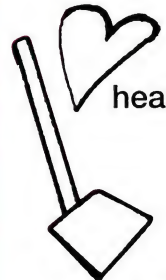
pennant



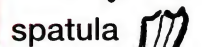
worm



fish hook



heart



spatula



carrot



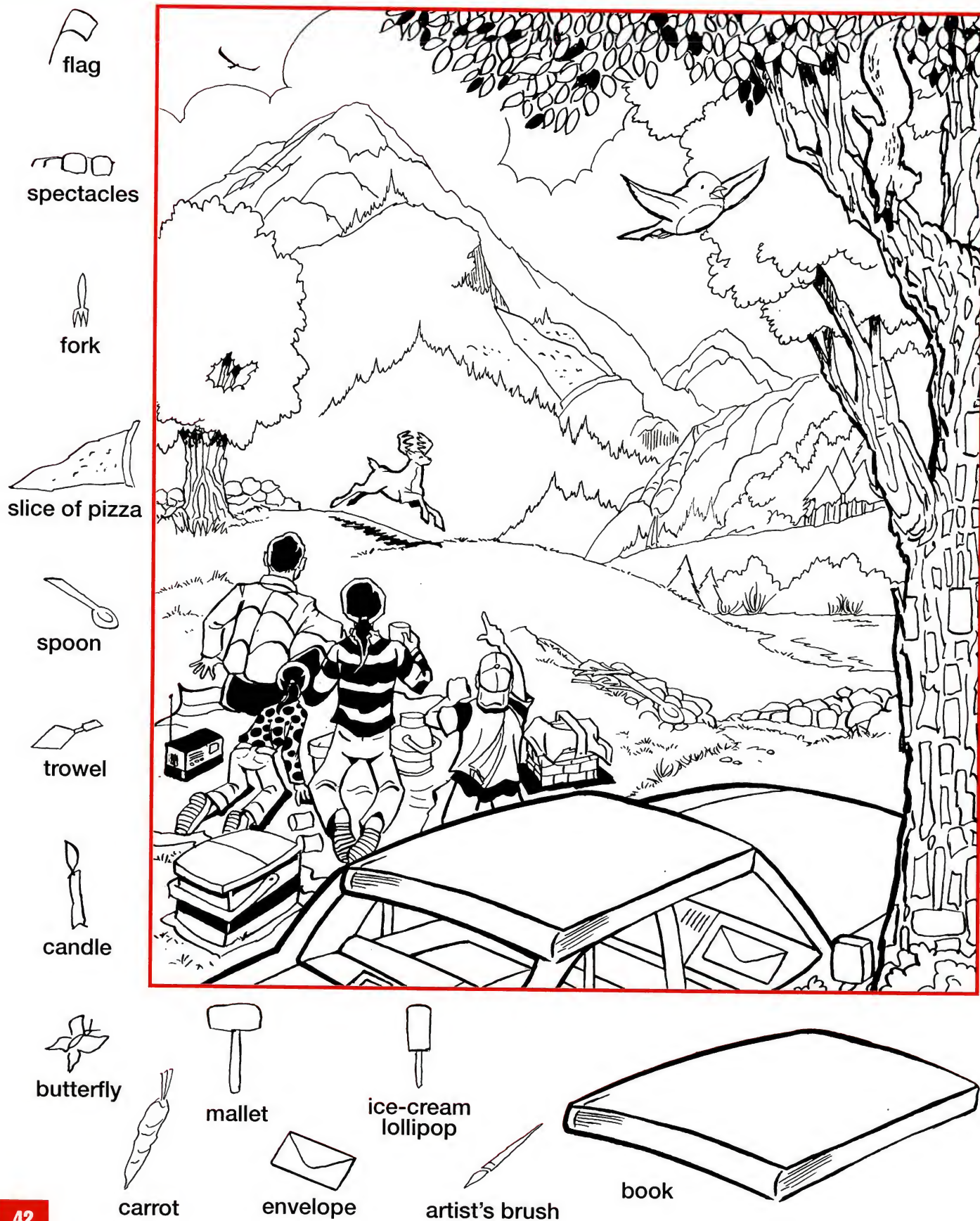
muffin





# Seeing animals in the wild

Look for these things in the big picture.



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# Casting animal tracks

Look for these things in the big picture.



mug



ring



paintbrush



saw



canoe



snail



mushroom



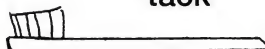
pear



button



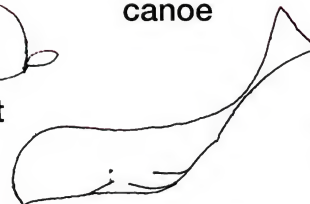
tack



toothbrush

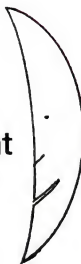


rabbit



whale

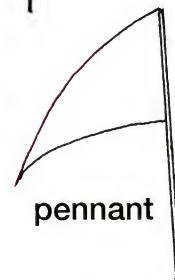
crescent moon



needle



heart



pennant



funnel



lollipop



boot





# Getting our pets to the park

Can you find these things in the big picture?



button



candle



bowling ball



2 teacups



canoe



candy cane



fish



Illustrated by Susan T. Hall



# Taking our dogs to the vet's

Can you find these things in the big picture?



bat



high-heeled shoe



heart



toothbrush



bell



paintbrush



fish



feather



slice of pie



bowling pin



glove



paper clip



sailing boat



pencil





# Attending an animal show

Look for these things in the big picture.



ice-cream cone



needle



artist's brush



candle



golf club



fish hook



crayon



wishbone



heart



crescent moon



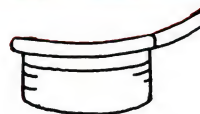
bowl



magnifying glass



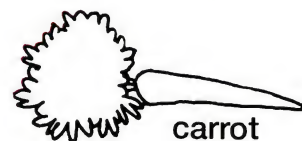
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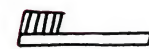
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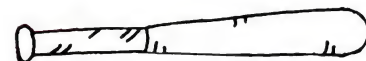
pencil



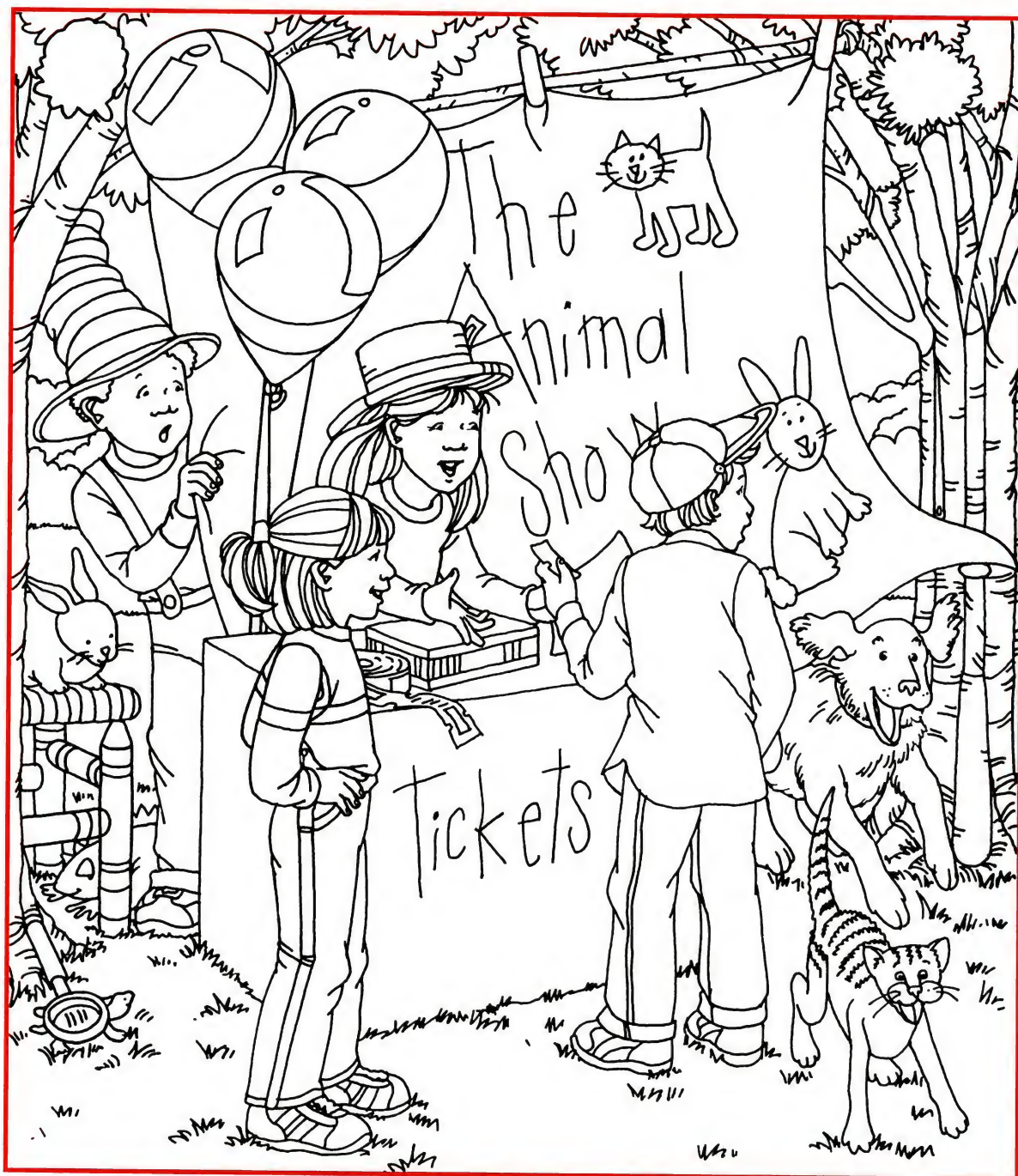
carrot



toothbrush



baseball bat



Illustrated by Sally Springer



# Parading before judges

Look for these things in the big picture.



ice-cream  
cone



toothbrush



banana



glove



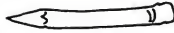
lollipop



feather



heart



pencil



doughnut



ladder



cupcake



ring



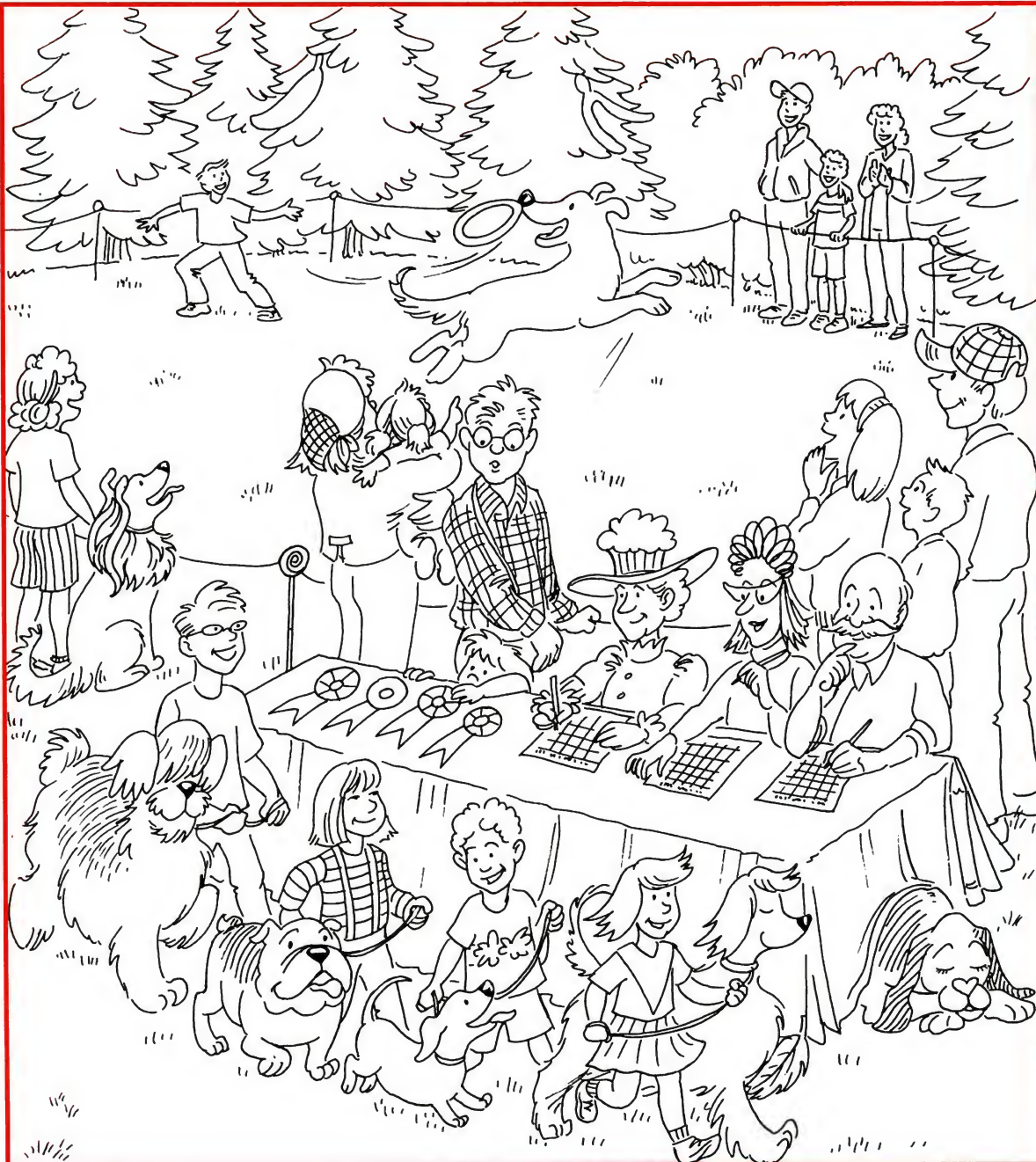
snake



wishbone



spoon





# Raking leaves at autumn's end

Can you find these things in the big picture?



spoon



light bulb



banana



glove



paper clip



pencil



ice-cream cone



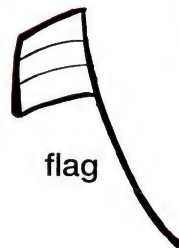
sailing boat



flyswatter



fish



flag



bell



bird



bat

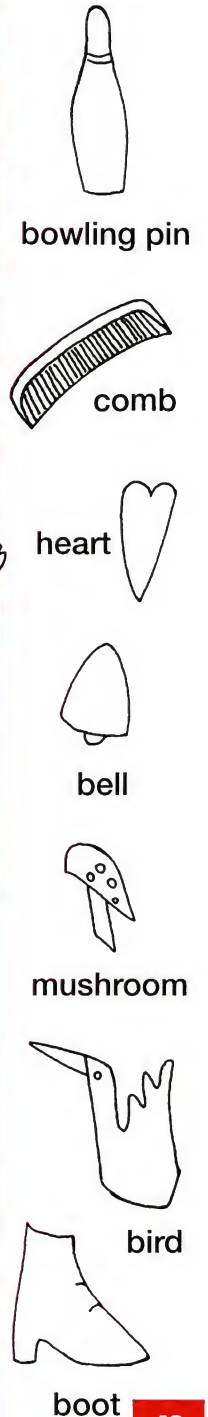
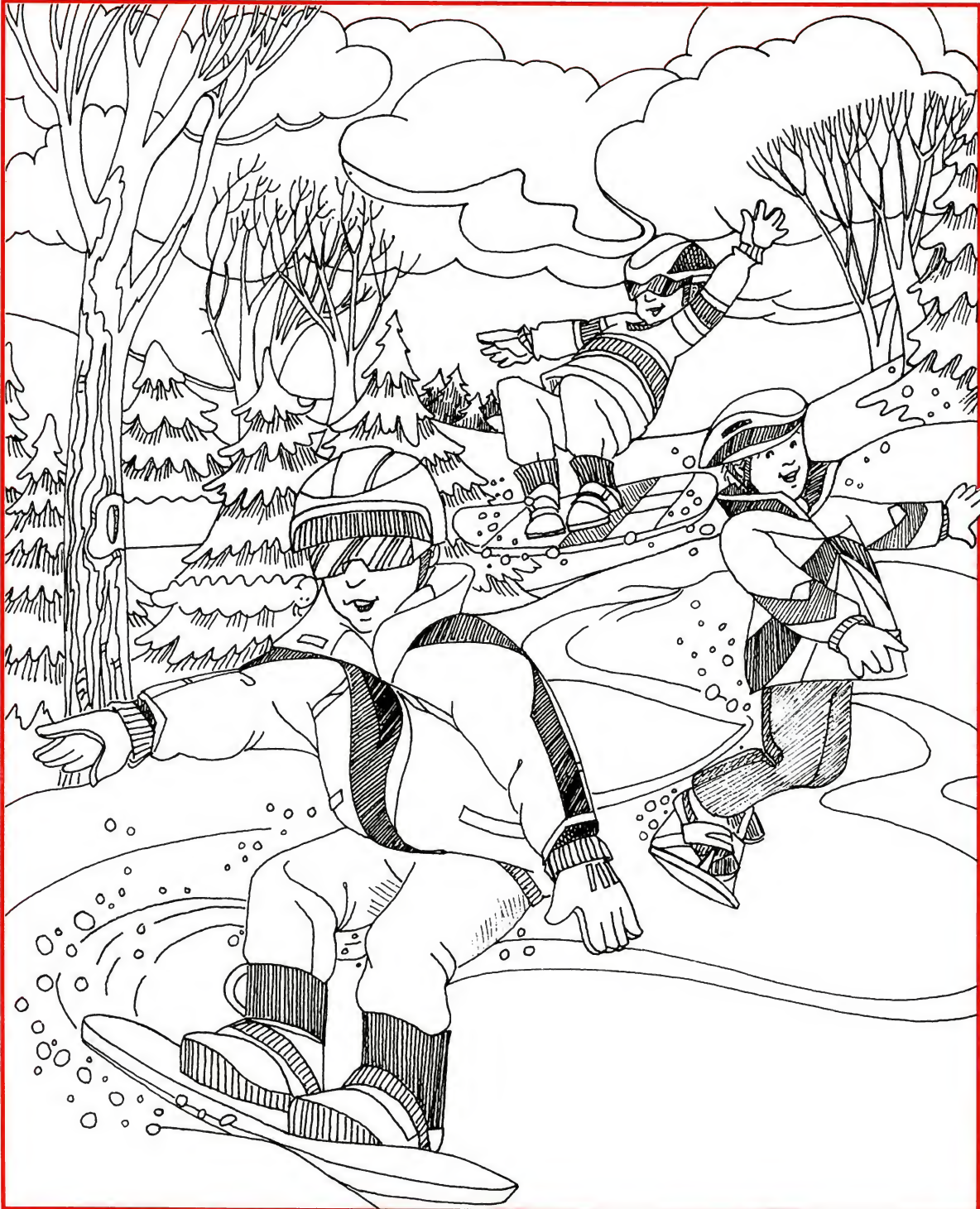
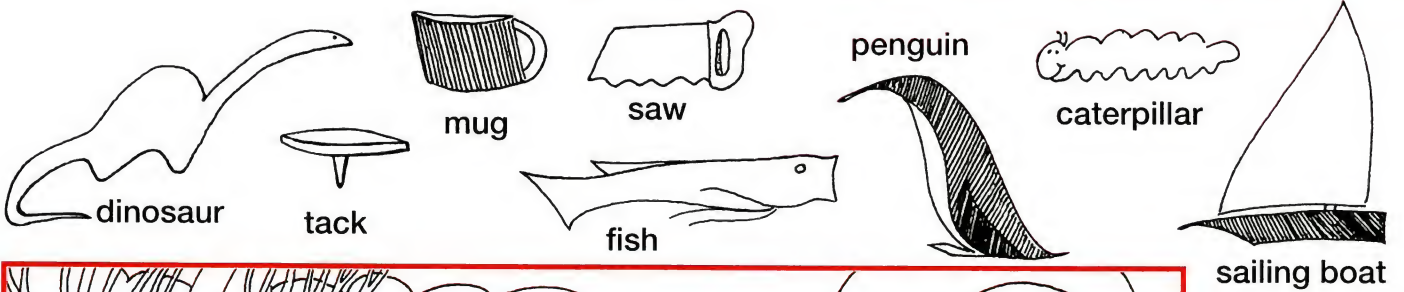


Illustrated by Timothy Davis



# Snowboarding downhill

Can you find these things in the big picture?





# Setting up a snow family

Look for these things in the big picture.



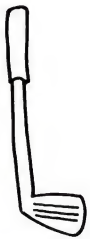
wishbone



ice-cream cone



clothes peg



golf club



slice of bread



comb



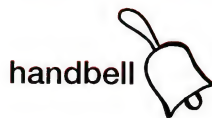
vase



paintbrush



fork



handbell



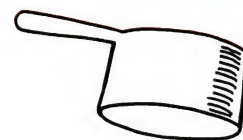
slice of pizza



crescent moon



dog bone



saucepan



ice lolly



light bulb



snake

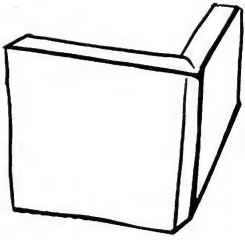


Illustrated by Maggie Swanson



# Wrapping Xmas presents

Look for these things in the big picture.



open book



spectacles



mug



banana



golf club



bagel



sailing boat



sock



tack



fish hook



toothbrush



envelope





# Rehearsing the dragon dance

Can you find these things in the big picture?



ice-cream  
cone



glove



baseball



crescent  
moon



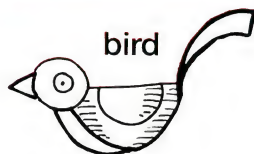
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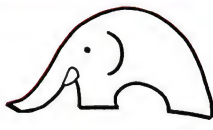
star



owl



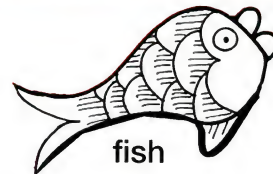
bird



elephant



frog



fish



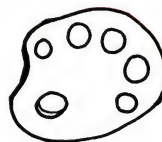
ghost



snake



candle



palette



pretzel



carrot



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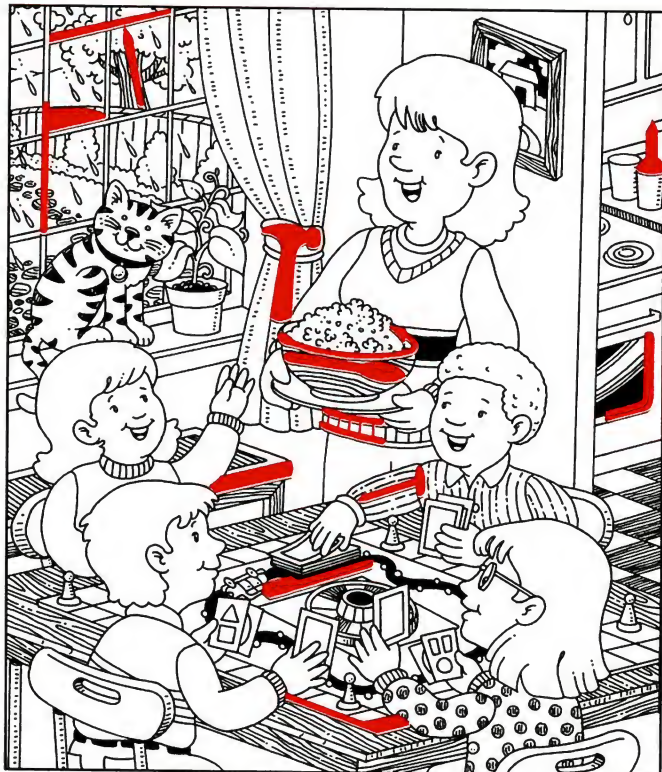


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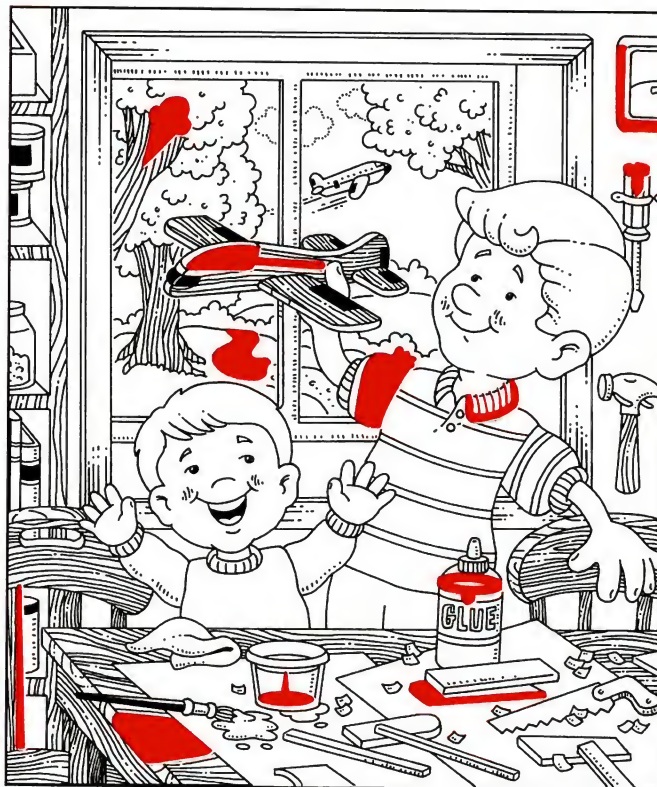
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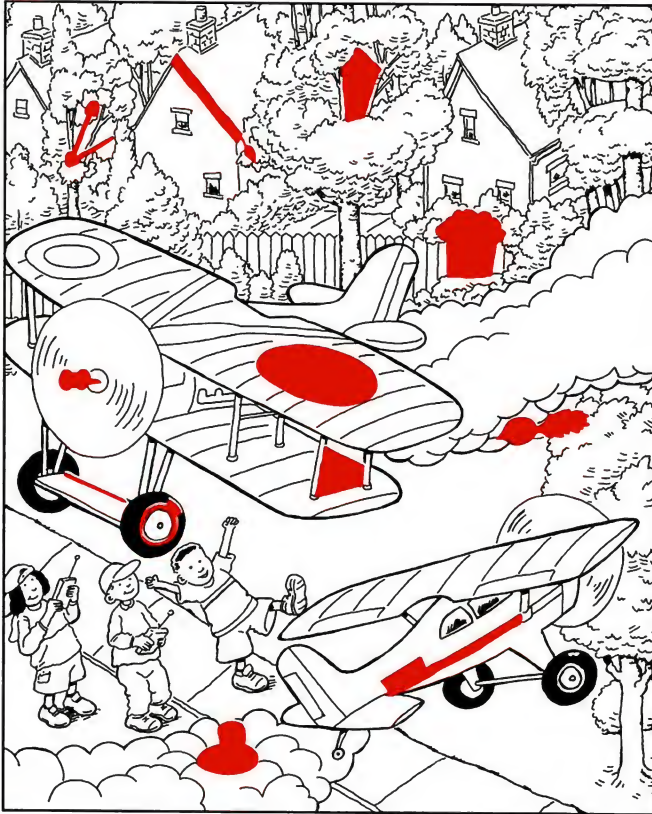


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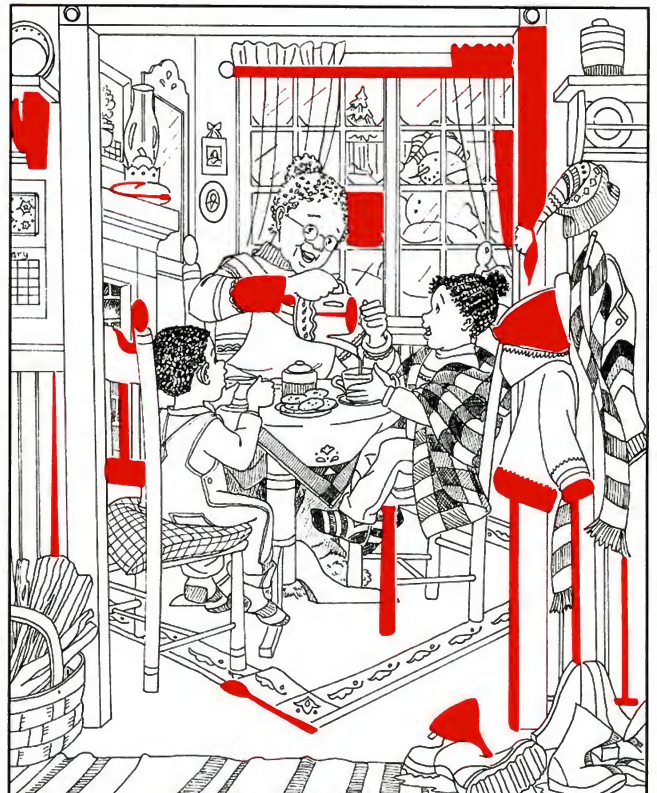
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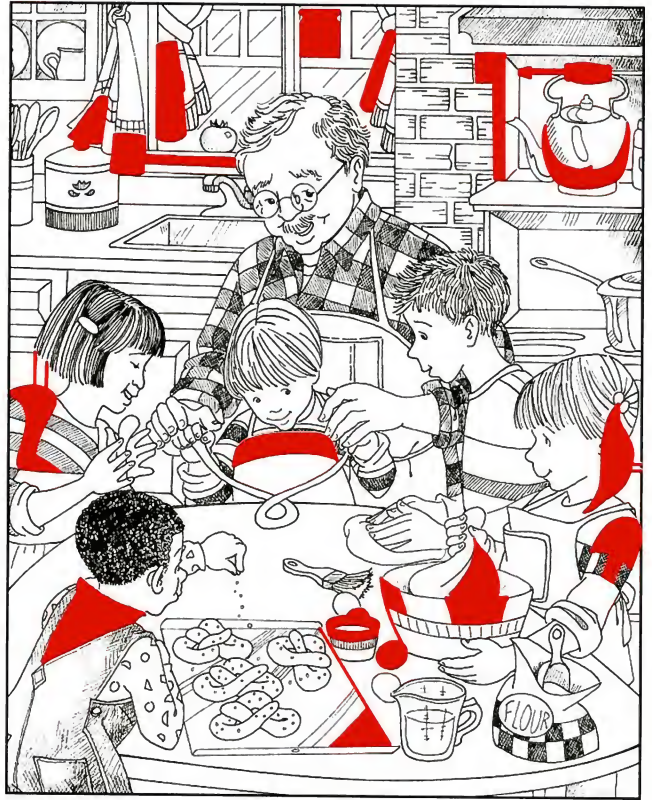




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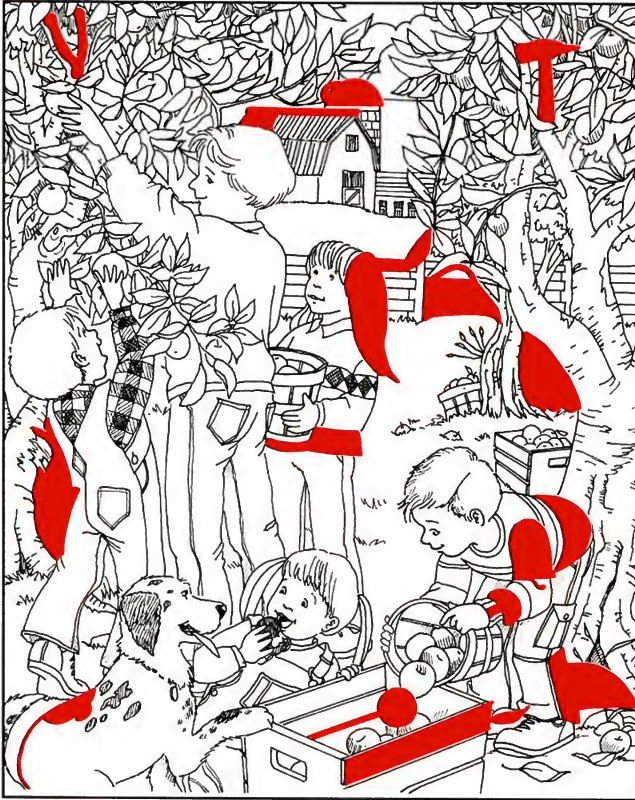


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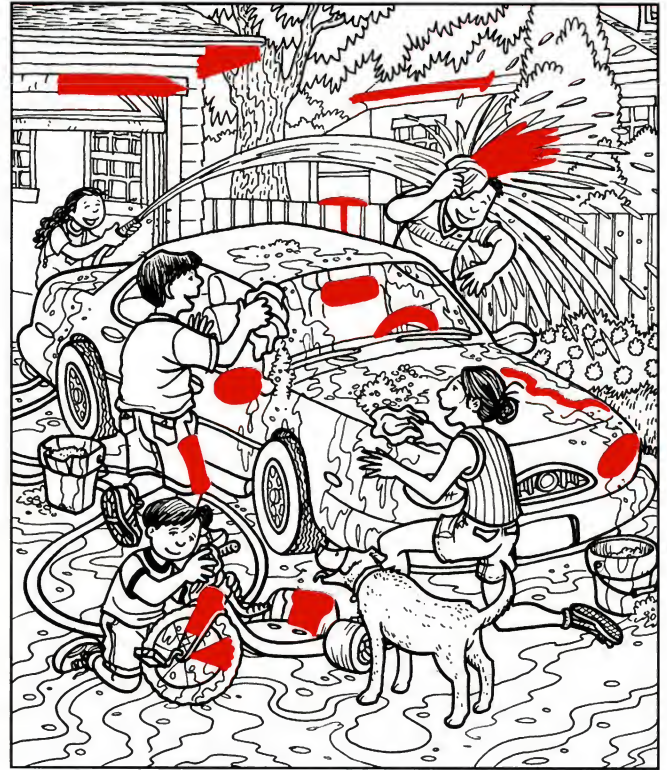




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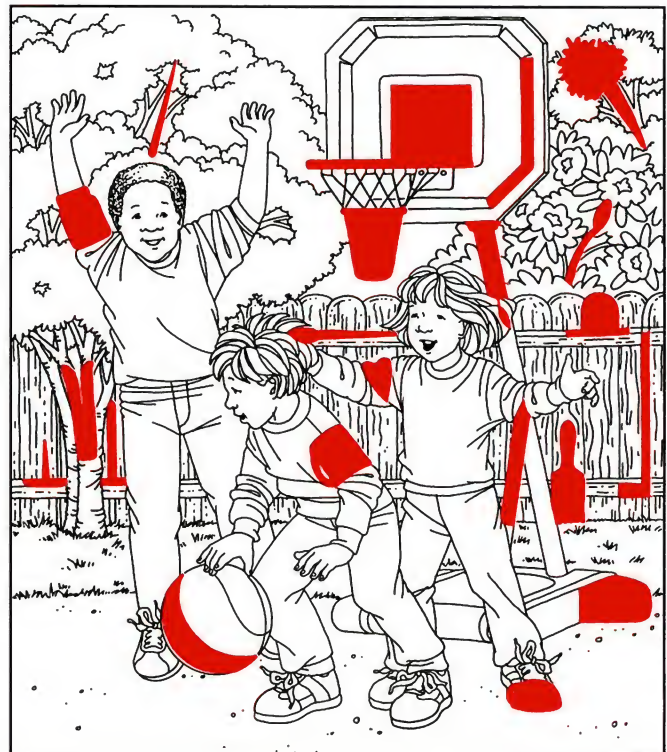
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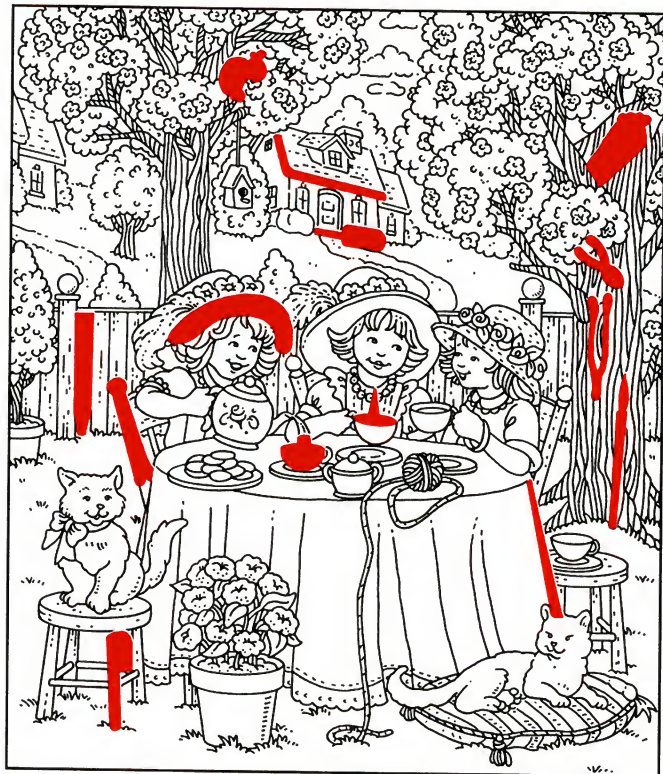


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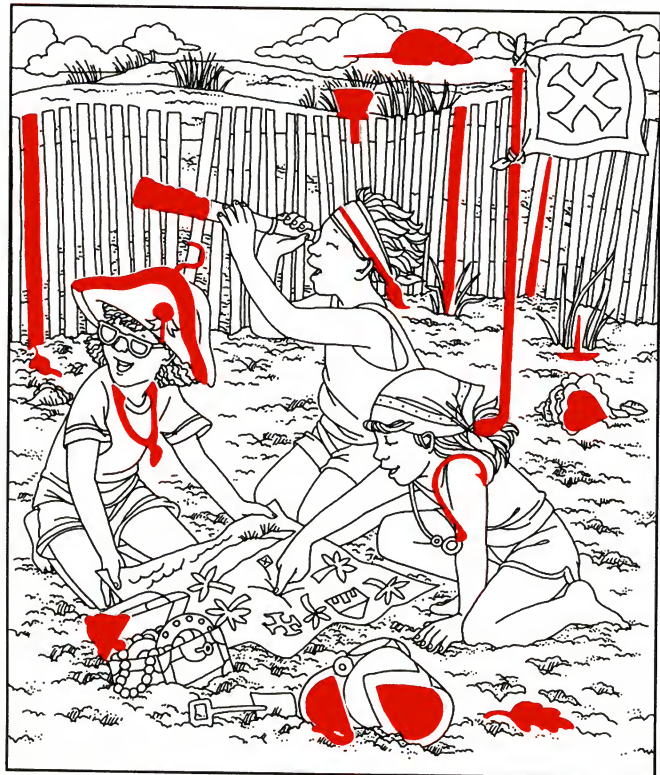
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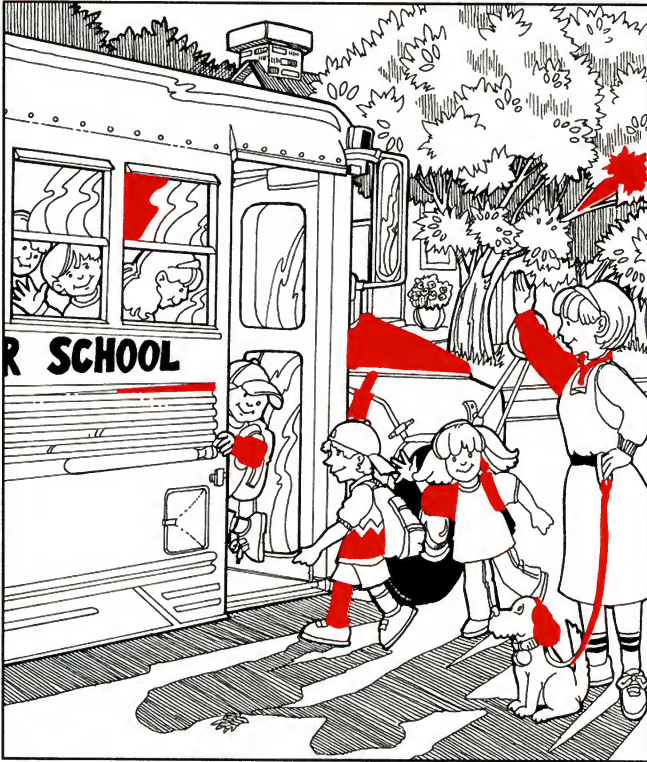


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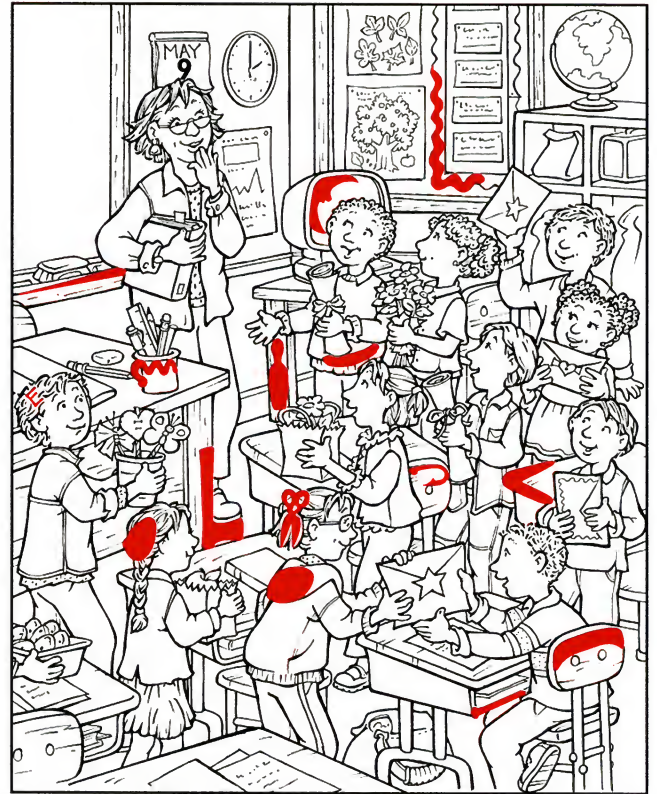




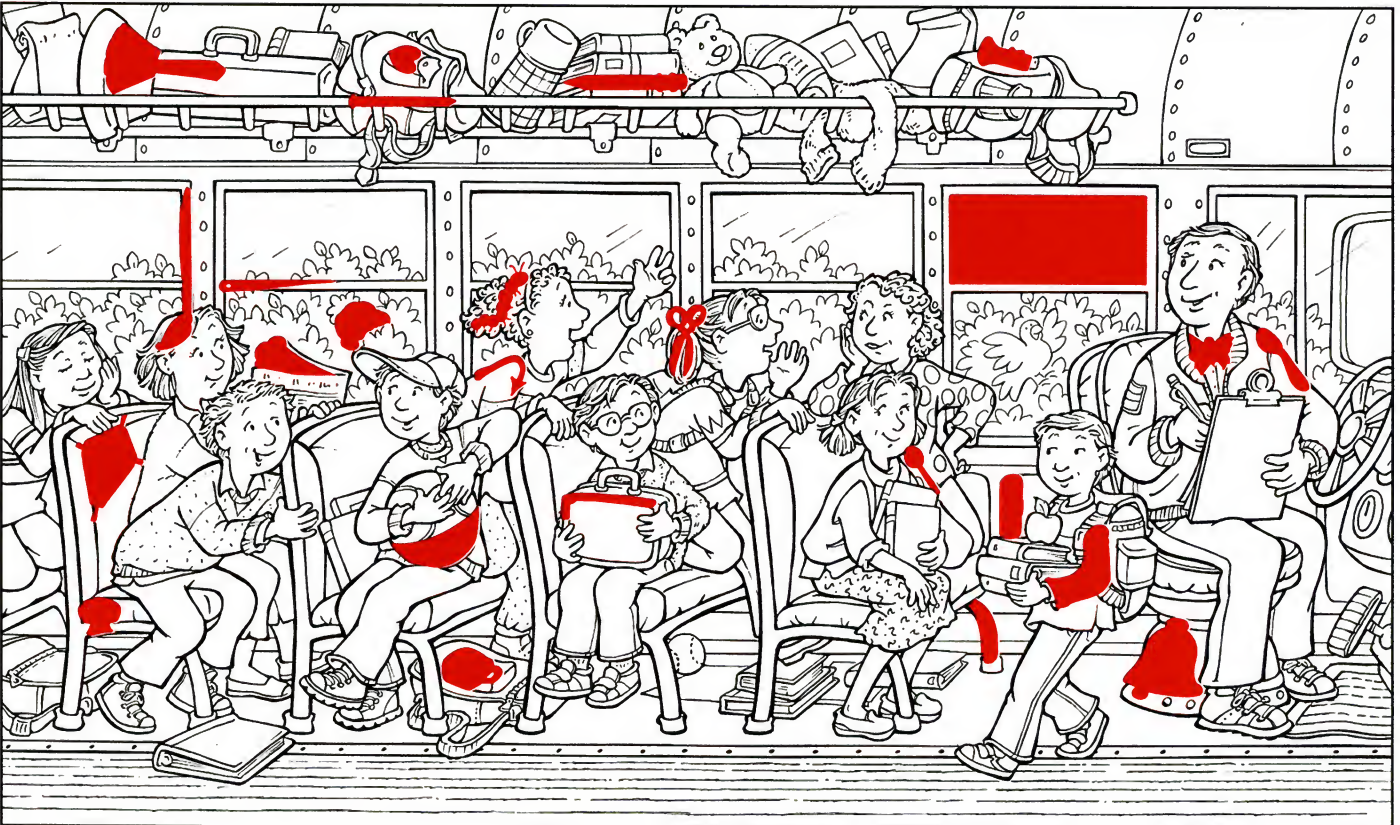
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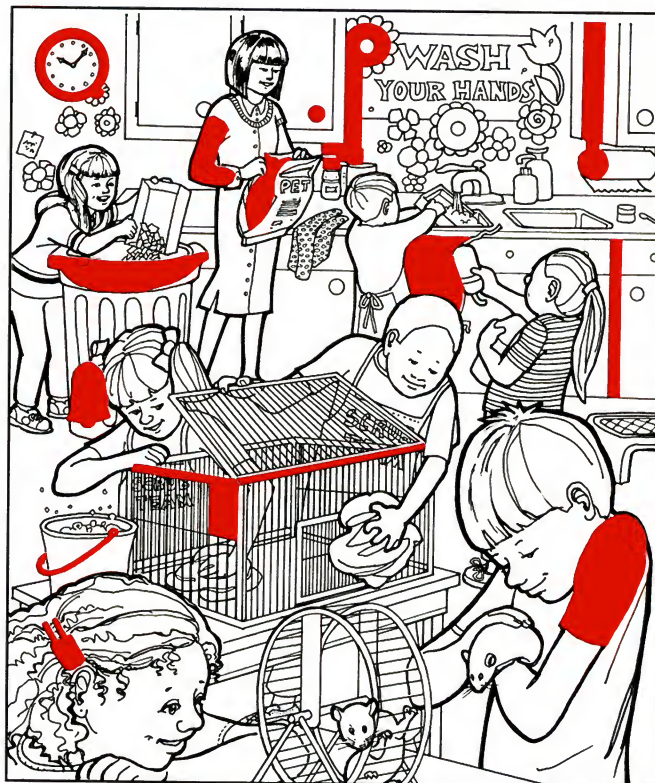
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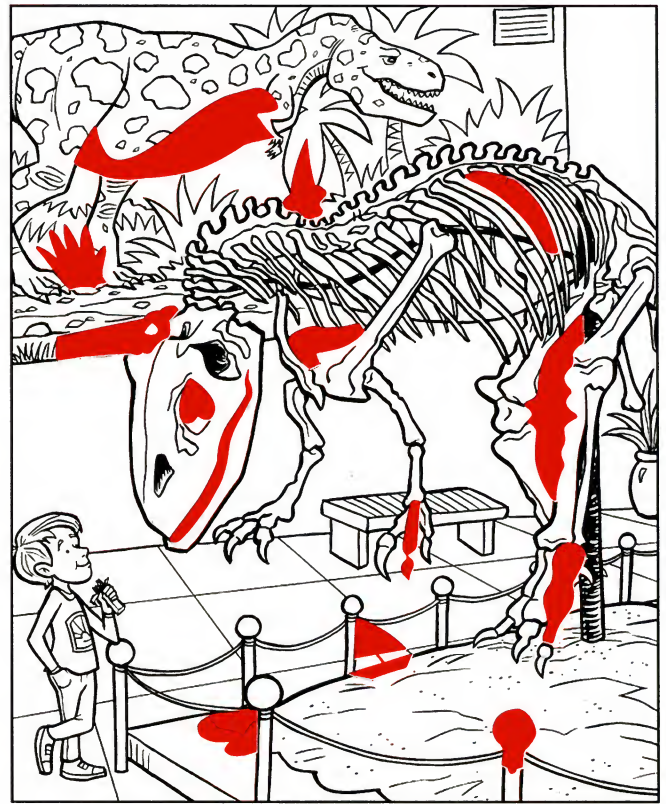




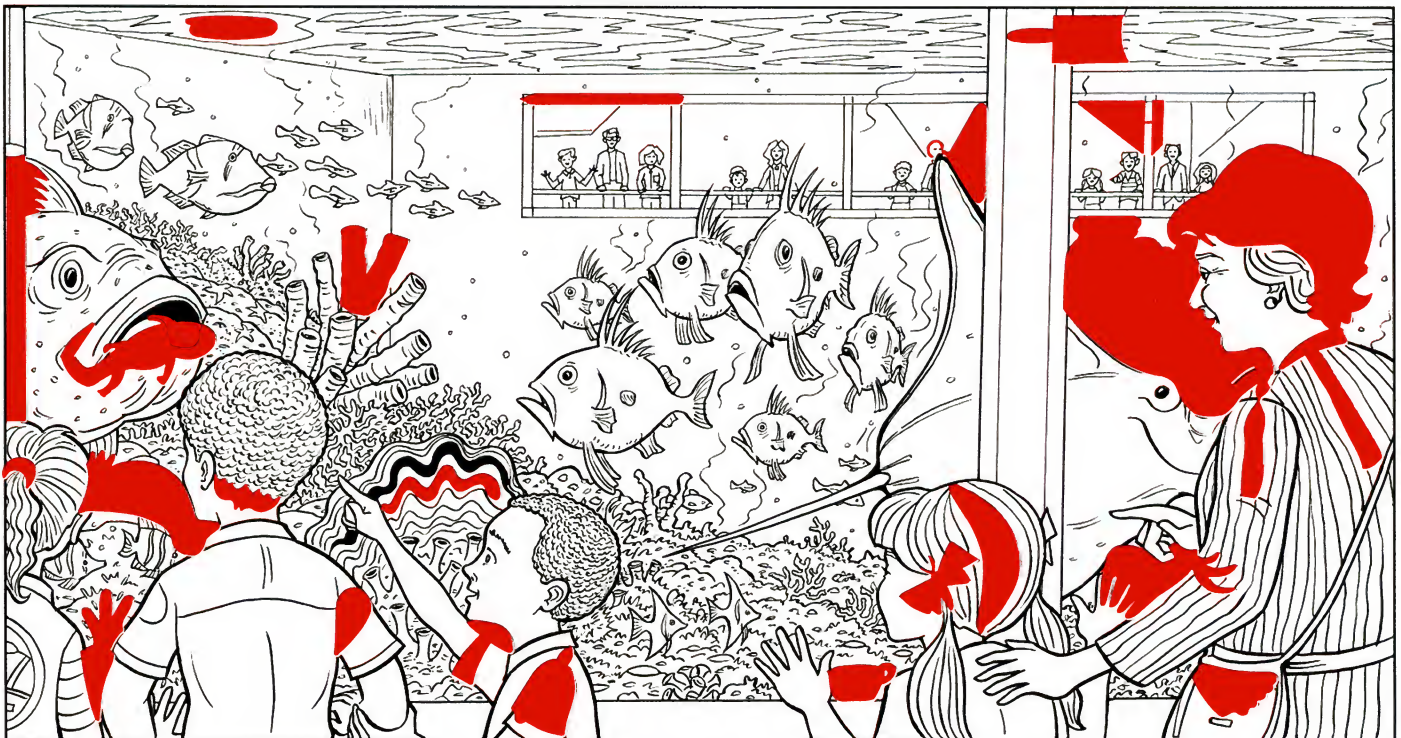
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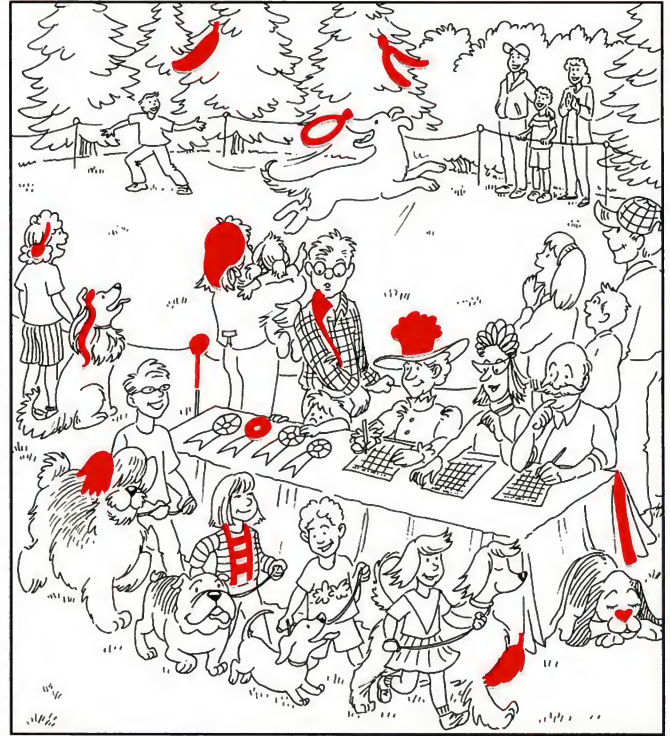




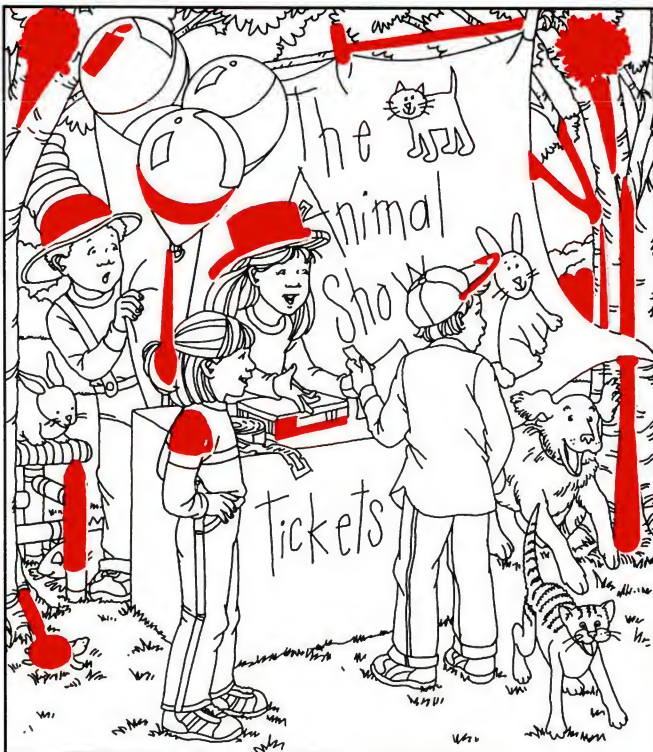
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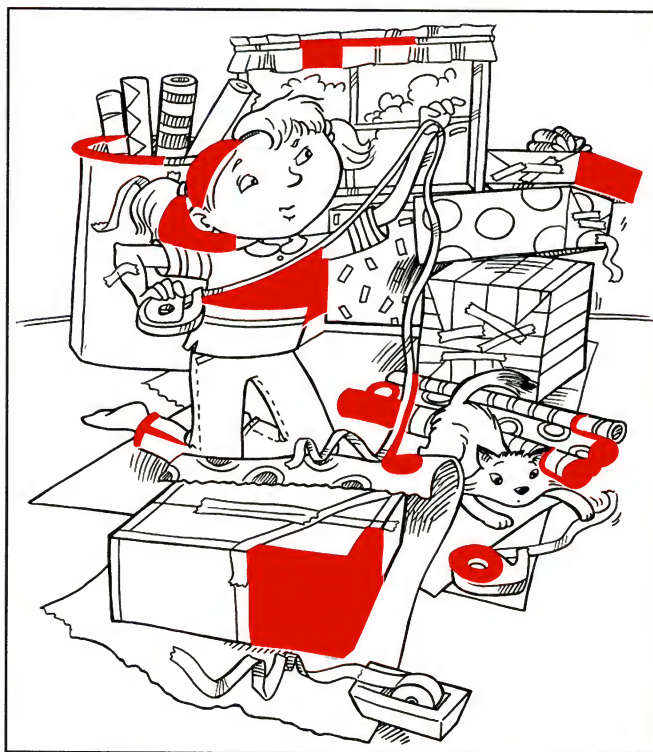




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# Hidden Pictures

This series of four books promises hours of fun and loads of benefits for all the family!

Each seek-and-find activity can be done individually as a pastime, or played as a game with a partner or a 'rival' group.

But more than that, solving the puzzles develops figure-ground perception and improves the ability to establish object constancy and size relationships.

In fact, educators have shown that working on such puzzles can

- enhance a child's attention to detail,
- reinforce good work habits,
- increase both word and general knowledge and
- aid in developing self-confidence.

